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EXAMINER: (NOT YET RECEIVED)
ART UNIT: 3721
SERIAL NO.: 09/942,254
FILING DATE: August 29, 2001
INVENTOR: Ulrich WIEDEMANN
TITLE: BOTTLING PLANT AND METHOD OF OPERATING A
BOTTLING PLANT AND A BOTTLING PLANT WITH
SECTIONS FOR STABILIZING THE BOTTLED PRODUCT

Greensburg, Pennsylvania 15601

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

December 3, 2001

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Please enter the following Preliminary Amendment in order to place the above-cited application in better condition for examination.

In the Specification:

Please delete the paragraph after the Title of the application on page 1.

In the Claims:

Please cancel Claim 9, without prejudice.

REMARKS

This Preliminary Amendment is being submitted in order to place the present application in a better condition for examination. Specifically, the first paragraph after the title